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NO. 9.

FALLS FROM LADDER TO IMPROVE STREETS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL

Painful Injuries Sustained While Trimming Trees.

Alfonso Cruz, a young Cuban who with his family lives on hotel street near Grand View avenue, suffered painful and more or less serious injury Monday afternoon, by falling from a ladder while trimming lemon trees for Mrs. Crisp on Mariposa avenue.

How the accident happened is not known, but in some manner the man lost his balance and fell through the tree to the ground.

When picked up he was suffering from a wound in the side, and it was found some ribs were broken. There was also evidence of internal injuries. He was attended by Dr. R. H. Mackerras, and is reported as doing well. Mr. Cruz was formerly in the Cuban army, and had been wounded in the service.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Various Items of Interest to the Church Goers.

The Guild of the Episcopal church had its regular meeting at the rectory on Wednesday afternoon. These meetings are to be held regularly through the winter on the first and third Wednesdays of every month. The primary object is to provide the opportunity for the older members to meet the strangers of the city. A cordial invitation is extended to all who would care to avail themselves of the opportunity to become acquainted with the people of the church.

On Thursday evening, Dec. 12, a church social will be held at the rectory. A pleasant program is being arranged for the evening and the articles which were left from the bazaar, together with goods which came too late for the sale, will be displayed that night. Refreshments will be served and a charge of 15 cents will be made.

The rector of the church is preaching a course of sermons during the season of Advent, on Sunday evenings, especially for men. The second in the course will be delivered next Sunday evening at 7:30, the subject being "Esau, the man who failed because he lacked a perspective." A general invitation is extended to all.

Sunday morning Mr. Bentham will preach on the subject, "The Bible and Its Relation to Life."

Box Party at the Orpheum.

A delightful box party was given at the Wednesday matinee by Mrs. Margaret Dietz Dawson in honor of Mrs. Florence Mead Cheney of Sierra Madre, formerly of Georgia, who has just recovered from a severe illness, and to meet Mrs. Nellie Meeker Dorr of Elizabeth, N. J., sojourning in Pasadena for the winter months. The guests who

TRUSTEES OPEN BIDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

B. R. Davisson Contracting Co. Secures Mountain Trail and Baldwin Avenue Contracts—Central Avenue Bids Rejected.

The B. R. Davisson Contracting Company of Monrovia was the successful bidder for street work on Mountain Trail and Baldwin avenues in this city. This work includes grading, oiling, curbing and guttering.

Owing to the advent of the holiday season declared by the governor by reason of the financial situation, the city trustees have been unable to award the contracts; but since the law passed by the recent special session of the legislature, making it possible to transact business on special holidays, the city fathers Wednesday night opened the bids for work on Mountain Trail, Baldwin and Central avenues, and will award the contracts on the first two, rejecting all proposals for Central avenue work, and directing the clerk to re-advertise for bids. For work on Mountain Trail avenue the bids were as follows:

B. R. Davisson Contracting company, grading and oiling, \$1.40 per linear foot; curbing, 33 cents per linear foot; gutter, 45 cents per linear foot.

S. Hutton & Son, grading, 47 cents; oiling, \$1.24; curb, 40c; gutter, 17 cents per square foot.

George H. Oswald, grading, \$1.10; oiling, \$1.10; curb, 35c cents; gutter, 15 cents per square foot.

The bid of the B. R. Davisson company being the lowest, it secures the contract.

The same firms were bidders for the work on Baldwin avenue, as follows:

B. R. Davisson company, grading and

oiling, 11.77; curb, 33c; gutter, 45c.

S. Hutton & Son, grading, 32c; oiling, \$1.30, curb, 36c. gutter, 17c per square foot.

George H. Oswald, grading, 75c; oiling, \$1.05; curb, 34c; gutter, 15c per square foot.

These bids averaged up as follows per linear foot for the street:

Davisson Co., \$3.00; Hutton, \$3.17; Oswald, \$3.19.

There were five bidders for the work on Central avenue, namely: B. R. Davisson Co., Hutton & Son, Geo. H. Oswald, S. M. Sevier, George Holloway. The Bids of the various firms were as follows for grading, oiling, curbing and guttering the street from Sierra Madre avenue to mountain trail avenue:

Hutton & Son.....\$21,457 50

Geo. H. Oswald..... 16,752 00

Davisson Company..... 19,102 20

S. M. Sevier..... 18,582 30

Geo. Holloway..... 24,976 70

The board, after discussion, decided to reject all these bids and re-advertise for proposals for doing the work.

Eight ordinances, from No. 35 to No. 42, inclusive, which had previously been introduced, were passed.

An ordinance was introduced to extend the time for the payment of city taxes till the second day of January, 1908. This measure will come up for action at the next meeting. The board then adjourned to meet next Thursday evening.

enjoyed the hospitality of the hostess were the Mesdames Louise Webster of Los Angeles, and Liela Coles of Washington, D. C.

SHOOTING AT ARCADIA.

Two Mexicans and Chinaman Engage In Deadly Conflict

Some rather lively and serious gun play took place on the road near Arcadia at an early hour Tuesday morning, as a result of which Francisco Ramorez was killed, Miguel Palamorz mortally wounded and Charley Chew seriously wounded in the shoulder. Chew is a Chinaman and was formerly foreman for E. J. Baldwin, and is said to have discharged the two Mexicans some months ago when they worked under him in the Santa Anita canyon. Conflicting stories are told of the encounter, each side claiming that the other was the aggressor. The wounded Mexicans were taken to the county hospital, where Ramorez died at 7 o'clock in the evening, and it was said Palamorz could not recover.

Entertainment to Aid Piano Fund Will Be an Excellent One.

What promises to be one of the most complete and elaborate entertainments ever given for the benefit of the public school will occur this afternoon and evening, the object being to raise money to help pay for a new piano recently installed. In the afternoon a program will be given by Room 1, comprising music, recitations, readings and debate. In the evening a program will be rendered by local talent, and a teddy bear social has been arranged for the little ones, under the direction of Mesdames Wright and Wheatley. Refreshments will be served under the direction of Mrs. S. C. Collins of the Hotel Sierra Madre.

DIDN'T HURT A BIT.

Horse Falls Over Dog and Throws Young Lady From Cart.

Monday evening, as Miss Gladys Humphries was driving in her pony cart along Central avenue in front of the Sierra Madre department store, enjoying a drive in the exhilarating air of a southern California autumn eve, she suddenly alighted from the cart in a somewhat abrupt manner. It all happened this way: Miss Gladys was accompanied by her dog, which ran in front of the horse, getting under its feet in such a way as to throw the animal. As the horse fell, one of the thills stuck in the ground, stopping the cart at once and throwing the young lady over the dashboard. She alighted on the horse, which made no struggle, and was released and gotten on its feet again. Miss Humphries was in no way hurt, and neither the horse nor dog suffered any injury, the only damage done being a broken thill.

New Markets.

The News is in receipt of a communication from the board of supervisors of San Francisco, calling attention to the fact that the board of supervisors of the city and county of San Francisco recently adopted resolutions providing for the establishment of free markets in San Francisco.

It is intended to effect a closer business relation between the producer and the consumer. Plans are being prepared for the first of the city's free markets, and in addition to this, plans are now in readiness for a free market to be constructed on state property, located on the water front. It is the intention to induce the producers and growers of the interior to ship produce to these markets and an absolutely square deal is promised to every producer and grower who brings or sends his produce to the markets.

* Woman's Club. *

On Monday afternoon, December 9th, Miss Wilhelmina Bain will address the Woman's Club on "The Co-operative Movement in New Zealand".

Miss Bain is a native of New Zealand, and is a college bred woman. She has given particular attention to questions of government, especially that of New Zealand.

It is recognized that New Zealand is one of the best governed countries in the world, therefore the things which Miss Bain will present will be of peculiar interest.

The afternoon of December 23rd the club will entertain the children from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Santa Claus promised to visit it that afternoon and many mysterious preparations are in progress for one of the most charming entertainments ever given the children in Sierra Madre.

Dainty invitations will be issued for this Christmas festival, and each recipient is requested to reply promptly to Mrs. L. C. Torrance so that she may know for how many to provide.

Ordinance No. 35

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre declaring its intention to improve a portion of Grand View Avenue in said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That the public interest and convenience requires and that it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

1st. That said Grand View avenue from the easterly curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to a point 375 feet east of Cañon avenue on the east, including all intersections, (excepting such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also excepting such portions as have already been graded to the official grade, oiled and accepted by said city,) be graded and oiled in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and specifications for the grading and oiling of streets on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 4.

2nd. That a cement curb be constructed along each side of said Grand View avenue from the easterly curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to a point 375 feet east of Cañon avenue on the east (except along such portions of said street where a cement or granite curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city,) in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 2.

3rd. That a cement gutter three and one-half feet in width be constructed along each side of said Grand View avenue from the easterly curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to the west curb line of Mountain Trail avenue, and thence five feet in width along the northerly side and three and one-half feet in width along the southerly side of said Grand View avenue to a point 375 feet east of Cañon avenue on the east (except along such portions of said street where a cement or cobblestone gutter has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city,) in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 8.

4th. That cement box culverts be constructed along and across said Grand View avenue between the said easterly curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to a point 375 feet east of Cañon avenue on the east, where shown and of the size and dimensions shown on the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and city specifications for the construction of cement box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 5.

SEC. 2. The Street Superintendent shall post notices of this work, as required by law, and shall cause said notice to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said city of Sierra Madre, and hereby designated for that purpose.

SEC. 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post the same conspicuously for two days on or near the chamber door of the place of meeting of the Board of Trustees of said city and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted

at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre held on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1907, by the affirmative vote of at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Messrs. Camp, Hosmer, Krafft, Pegler, Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. J. GRAHAM,
[Seal.] City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 37

An ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre prohibiting the plowing, digging or otherwise molesting or tearing up the surface of any street, lane or alley in said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby made unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to plow, cultivate, tear up, dig up, trench, cut, or otherwise disturb or molest the surface of any public street, public lane, public alley, public highway or public sidewalk in said city of Sierra Madre without first having obtained permission from the Street Superintendent so to do and under the conditions hereinafter particularly set forth; provided, however, that the provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to any contractor, his agents, servants, or employees, engaged in grading, curbing, guttering, sidewalking, or otherwise improving any such public street, lane, alley, highway or sidewalk under any contract therefore regularly let by the Board of Trustees of said city of Sierra Madre, or by the Street Superintendent of said city, under the provisions of the statutes for the improving of all such public streets, lanes, alleys, highways or sidewalks, or under any private contract for the improving of any such public street, lane, alley, highway or sidewalk let with the permission and consent of said Board of Trustees first thereunto had.

SEC. 2. Before any such public street, lane, alley, highway or sidewalk shall be plowed, cultivated, trenched, dug into, cut, or otherwise molested by any public utility company, its agents, servants or employees, or by any other person, written application shall first be made so to do to the Street Superintendent of said city setting forth the nature and extent of the work intended to be done by such person, firm or corporation and thereupon the Street Superintendent shall make an estimate of the probable cost of replacing such street in the condition the same was in before such work is done thereon and the sum so fixed as the probable cost of replacing the same in such condition shall first be deposited with the said Street Superintendent by the applicant under the express condition and agreement that if said applicant shall fail to replace such street, lane, alley, highway or sidewalk to the condition that same was in before the granting of such permission by said Street Superintendent within the time by said Street Superintendent fixed then said sum so with said Street Superintendent deposited shall be by him applied to the replacing of such street, lane, alley, highway or sidewalk in the condition that the same was in at the time said application was filed.

SEC. 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating this ordinance, or any of the provisions thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction of such violation be punishable in a fine not to exceed the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or by imprisonment for a period not to exceed fifty (50) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the "Sierra Madre News," a weekly newspaper, published and circulated in said City of Sierra Madre, and hereby designated for that purpose, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall

take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, held on the 4th day of December, 1907, by the affirmative vote of at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Messrs. Camp, Hosmer, Krafft, Pegler, Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. J. GRAHAM,
[Seal.] City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 38

An ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, amending Section 24, of Ordinance No. 5, of Ordinances of said City of Sierra Madre entitled "An ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, licensing certain businesses and occupations therein mentioned; providing license fees for the same and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 24 of Ordinance No. 5, of the ordinances of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre entitled, "An ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre licensing certain businesses and occupations therein mentioned; providing license fees for the same and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling or peddling any produce, merchandise, or articles of any kind, other than those herein otherwise provided for, at retail or wholesale, from any wagon, for each wagon so employed by such person, firm or corporation the sum of \$3 per quarter."

SEC. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the "Sierra Madre News," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said city of Sierra Madre, and hereby designated for that purpose, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall take effect and be in force.

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Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. J. GRAHAM,
[Seal.] City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 40

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, declaring its intention to improve a portion of Central Avenue in said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That the public interest and convenience requires and that it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

1st. That a box culvert be constructed on the northerly side of Central avenue at Mountain Trail avenue

as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

2nd. That a box culvert be constructed on the southerly side of said Central avenue at Mountain Trail avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

SEC. 2. The Street Superintendent shall post notices of this work as required by law and shall cause said notice to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the Sierra Madre News, a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said city of Sierra Madre and hereby designated for that purpose.

SEC. 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post the same conspicuously for two days on or near the chamber door of the place of meeting of the Board of Trustees of said city and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

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Ayes: Messrs. Camp, Hosmer, Krafft, Pegler, Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,
President of the Board of Trustees.
Attest: J. J. GRAHAM,
[Seal.] City Clerk.

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Brief Items of Interest

The city council will meet again next Thursday night.

Mrs. F. J. Moyer of Long Beach was a guest of Mrs. Eugene Mead on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. D. Hawks entertained the Ancient Pricillas on Tuesday afternoon.

The cloudy weather of the past three days indicates rain, and a shower would be welcome.

E. W. Knapp has let the contract for the construction of a house on Grand View avenue.

Mrs. Michiels and Miss Curran of Ocean Park are at Hotel Sierra Madre for the winter.

Indications point to a very large attendance at the school entertainment in aid of the piano fund.

Mrs. Claude S. Cole and Miss Liela, of Washington, D. C., will remain in Sierra Madre for the winter.

Mrs. Isgregg and daughter spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Ransom Bransby of Palm avenue.

Miss Margaret Portius and Miss Lottie Moore of Long Beach are enjoying a couple of weeks' vacation in Sierra Madre.

Orange and lemon pickers are busy in Sierra Madre these days and much fruit is finding its way to the packing houses for shipment.

Mrs. Margaret B. Dawson and daughter Madeline of Philadelphia will spend the winter in Sierra Madre as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz.

Mrs. Thomas Henszey spent Tuesday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Carter, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of her sister, Miss Anita Carter.

Mrs. McCobb, Mrs. O'Dell, Miss Clark, Miss Townsend and Mr. McCobb of Pasadena were guests of Miss Alma McCobb at the school entertainment today.

The many friends of Mrs. J. J. Graham and family will be glad to know that they have returned from Los Angeles, where they have been since September.

Adolphus Kershaw and Will Davidson of Cleveland, Ohio, made the trip to Wilson's peak and return one day last week. It was a new and interesting experience for Mr. Davidson.

There might be a number of circuses in town this week judging by the number of clowns seen on the streets. But they will all be at the school entertainment to-night.

C. S. Andrews, a box manufacturer of Glendale, Ore., was a welcome though unexpected guest this week at the home of his brother, W. S. Andrews. Mr. Andrews will return to Glendale to-morrow.

Mrs. Brownson wishes to thank all who so kindly assisted in decorating the schoolhouse for the entertainment this afternoon and evening; also those who so generously gave flowers, loaned plants, lanterns and other decorations. Especial thanks are due Mr. Irving Ward for the loan of so many beautiful potted palms, ferns and other plants and the baskets of springari which decorated the patio.

Miss Gladys Humphries was one of a party who spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Wilson's peak.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maskey and two sons of Los Angeles, were guests of G. H. Price and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bible left Saturday morning for Rochester, Minnesota, where Mrs. Bible will undergo an operation for goiter at the hospital of the Drs. Mayo.

Miss Hilda Humphries of Los Angeles, Miss Dorothy Humphries of Pomona college, and Mr. A. W. Line of Barstow, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Humphries.

At last report there were 38,215 rural delivery routes in operation in the United States, all the growth of a few years. No other country has ever developed a new postal feature to the same extent in so short a time.

Random Remarks

Governor Hughes seems to be both popular and a problem.

What Bryan really says is that if the party can stand it once more, he can.

Mr. Tom Johnson seems to be always ready to help the man who helps himself.

From now on an Oklahoman will stand up when he hears the "Star Spangled Banner."

Santo Domingo also finds difficulty in getting its money from its rich old friend Wall Street.

In the little matter of presidential candidates Mr. Gompers, the labor leader is evidently going to be hard to suit.

Secretary Taft is coming home so as not to discriminate by visiting some countries and not all of them. Isn't he the diplomat?

The recent elections closed 220 saloons in Illinois. If the prohibition wave ever gets as far as Chicago, that city's hopes for the Democratic national convention will be blasted.

If John D. Rockefeller has \$100,000,000 in the United States bonds, as alleged, it is strange that he doesn't try harder to run the government than he appears to do. But John is deep.

So long as the silver quarters and halves bear the motto "In God we Trust," the great majority of the American people will have a religious sentiment in their pockets as well as in their hearts.

Mr. Bryan's attention ought to be called to the remarkable enthusiasm with which Pedestrian Weston was greeted at all points. And the man was merely walking to Chicago, not running for president.

An exchange calls attention to the fact that the first coin struck in an American mint contained no other motto than "Mind your Business." Nowadays that would be regarded as too "reactionary" for a progressive nation.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Sierra Madre will be held at its banking office in the City of Sierra Madre, California, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1908, from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated this 3d day of December, A. D. 1907.

H. G. FLINT,

Cashier.

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CASH OR BONDS.

The question of the advisability of making street improvements, under the original Vrooman act, which provided for cash payment, thirty days being allowed after completion of the work in which to pay the assessment, or under the amended act, which provides for an issue of bonds, payable in ten years, is one of interest to property owners in this city, as much such work is to be done in Sierra Madre from this time on. All are agreed in regard to the desirability and necessity of such improvements, and the great benefits accruing to the owners of improved property, but different views are held as to which method of payment should be adopted.

It is claimed by those who favor the cash basis, that the work can be done at such a great reduction in cost compared with the bond method as to make it very desirable to adopt this plan. This appears to be the view held by the city trustees. In a discussion of this question by the board Wednesday night City Attorney Walter F. Haas, who has had extensive experience in this class of work, advised strongly against the bond proposition, stating that contractors when bidding upon the work usually add about 25 per cent or more to the amount of their bid to enable them to discount the bonds. This is especially true in small cities, whose bonds are as a rule much more difficult to float than those of the larger municipalities. Additional expense is also incurred by the city, such as the cost of lithographing the bonds, and the like.

Another, and a serious objection urged to this system is the fact that the bonds are a lien against the property for the entire period of ten years, and cannot be released unless the holder is willing to accept the cash, which does

not often happen, as the bonds draw 10 per cent interest. This often causes trouble in the transfer of property.

But there are two sides to every question, and in some cases the deferred payment, even at a largely increased cost, is an advantage. As we understand the matter, the trustees have adopted the cash payment plan in the cases of Mountain Trail, Baldwin and Central avenues, but upon petition of a majority of the property owners on any street to be improved they would no doubt proceed under the bond system.

* Ladies' Musical *

The program given before the Ladies' Musical club, on Monday afternoon, was of a miscellaneous nature, combining both vocal and instrumental music, under the direction of Miss Lenore Morgan.

Mrs. Hawxhurst, whose beautiful voice has given pleasure wherever heard, sang with unusual feeling and graciously responded to an encore.

The fresh, sweet voice of Miss Staples was pleasantly received after her absence from the city for several months.

The instrumental numbers were of an exceptionally high order and rendered with understanding and art.

The program follows:

- 1 Piano Solo, "Nocturne," - Field Miss Climie
- 2 Violin Solo, "Berceuse," from Jocelin Miss Blumer
- 3 Duett, "Rigoletta," - Bellim Mrs. Stevenson and Miss Hill
- 4 Vocal Solo, "Thoughts of You," - Chas. Donne Edna Staples
- 5 Vocal Solo, "Best of All," - F. Moir "Absent," - Metcalf Mrs. Hawxhurst

The next meeting will at the home of Mrs. C. W. Hill, of Hermosa avenue.

The following paper, by Mrs. Brownson, was read at a former meeting and is now given by request:

JOHN SEBASTIAN BACH

What Shakespeare is to literature, Rembrandt to portrait painting, and Michiel Angelo to sculpture, John Sebastian Bach is to organ music.

He was the greatest organist of his time and his equal has not yet been produced, though nearly three hundred years have passed since his death.

As a composer for the organ Bach stands secure—his position is at the head and it is absolutely unassailable.

In point of temperment and disposition Bach bears a closer resemblance to Angelo than to either of the others whose names I have mentioned.

He was stern, strong, self-contained and so deeply religious that he was not only a Christian but a good deal of a Pagan as well. The earnest way in which this plain, unpretentious man focused upon his life work and raised organ music to the highest point of art, must command the sincere admiration of every lover of honest endeavor.

Bach was a villager and rustic, and used to hoe in his garden, trim his trees, play with his children, putting them to bed at night. When he traveled from one village or city to attend musical gatherings in his later years he was always accompanied by one or more of his sons.

His ambition was centered on his children and his hope was in them,

and yet nothing has been added to either organ building, organ playing or composition for the organ since his time. He never knew, any more than Shakespeare knew, that he had set a pace that would never be equalled. He would have stood aghast with incredulity had he been told that centuries would come and go and his name be acclaimed master.

Michael Angelo never married, but Bach held averages good by marrying twice. His second marriage occurred very shortly after the death of his first wife. The good book says, "Man was not made to mourn," but most widowers say one year is the limit.

The prompt second marriage of Bach was certainly a compliment to the memory of his first wife, who was a most amiable help-mate and friend. No soft sentiment disturbed the deep immersion of this man in his work. He was as business like as Ralph Waldo Emerson, who arranged his second marriage by correspondence and then drove over one afternoon in a buggy to bring home the promised bride, making notes by the way on "The Over Soul," and "Man's Place in the Universal Cosmos."

From Kothen, where Bach had spent a number of years, he was called to Lipsic and elected musical director of the Thomas school. For twenty-seven years he labored here doing the work he liked best and doing it in his own way.

He escaped the pitfalls of petty jealousies into which most men of artistic natures fall, by rising above them all. He accepted no insults, had no grievances against either man or fate—earnest, religious, simple—he filled the days with useful effort.

For number, variety and excellence only two men can be named as his competitors. These are Mozart and Handel, but in point of performance, simplicity and sterling manhood Bach stands alone.

Death of Mrs. Glenn.

The many friends of Miss Elston Glenn will be grieved to hear of her sad bereavement in the loss of her mother, who passed away at the family residence, 102 East Mountain street, Pasadena, on Thursday morning, Dec. 5.

Mrs. Glenn had been in ill health for some time, but no apprehension was felt for her up to Wednesday night, so that her death was in a measure a sad surprise to her friends.

Miss Glenn, who is a teacher in our public school, has the loving sympathy of her pupils and a large circle of friends in Sierra Madre.

TIME TABLES

PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY

Leave Los Angeles		Leave Sierra Madre	
6:05 a.m.	12:05 p.m.	6:10 a.m.	12:10 p.m.
6:25 " "	1:05 " "	7:00 " "	1:10 " "
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7:00 " "	2:05 " "	8:10 " "	2:42* " "
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10:05 " "	6:05 " "	11:10 " "	6:10 " "
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	11:30 " "		10:00 " "

*Combination express and passenger service.

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Santa Anita Station

Arrive from Los Angeles and Leave for East:
8:12 a.m. Overland | 5:12 p.m. Local
9:08 a.m. Local | 8:45 p.m. Overland

Arrive from East and Leave for Los Angeles:
7:34 a.m. Overland | 4:58 p.m. Local
9:24 a.m. Local

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The Ladies' Aid Society holds its business meetings on the first Tuesday of every month, at 3 p. m. Afternoon socials on the second and fourth Tuesdays, from 3 to 5 o'clock.
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The News

ALASKA EXPOSITION.

Work on Grounds and Buildings Being
Rapidly Pushed Towards Completion.

The grounds of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle are rapidly taking shape and the work of getting the buildings under way is far advanced. The grading and construction of the avenues, circles, plazas and courts is nearing completion and the task of installing the sewer and water systems is being rushed. The general depression all over the country has not delayed the management in its job of getting the 1909 fair ready on time.

Bids have been called for the three permanent buildings to be erected by the board of regents of Washington University in accordance with the bill passed by the last legislature appropriating \$600,000 for that purpose. The buildings, which will be used by the exposition and after that by the university, are the auditorium, fine arts palace and machinery hall. They will be constructed with buff brick and finished in terra cotta. In style of architecture they will be classic as far as modern usage will permit.

The contract for the manufacture building, a temporary structure, has been let and work on it will begin shortly. It will be one of the two largest buildings on the grounds, the agricultural palace being its twin.

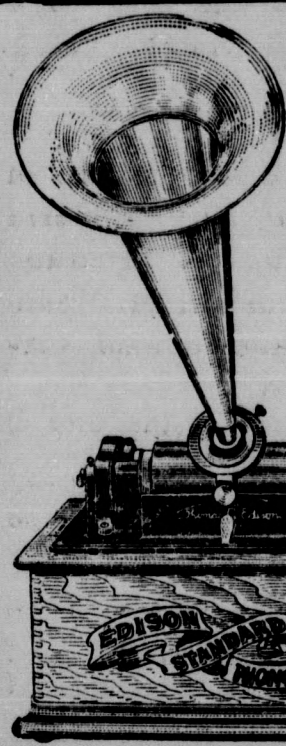
With appropriate ceremonies, the Arctic Brotherhood selected a site recently for its building. It will stand in the northeastern section of the grounds and will command a fine view of Lake Washington.

One of the latest counties to come into line with an appropriation for an independent exhibit is Island county. \$2,000 have been set aside for the county's display. A feature of the exhibit will be a miniature mountain trout hatchery in operation. W. Newell, a resident of the county and commissioner in charge of the exhibit, has the most successful mountain trout hatchery in the state of Washington. His 1907 output is expected to reach one and a half million fry. He will install the miniature hatchery at his own expense. Fish will be shown in all stages of growth, and from the egg to their development as trout twenty inches long.

The press of the country is commenting favorably on the fact that the exposition management will not ask the United States government for a gift or loan to carry on the work of building the 1909 fair. All the officials want is for Uncle Sam to erect his own buildings and install therein his own displays.

In a letter to Henry E. Reed, director of exploitation, William Jennings Bryan states that he is in favor of the United States government's participation in the exposition. Mr. Bryan writes in part as follows:

"I am glad to say a word in behalf of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. I believe in these expositions. They are educational and bring to the people of the various sections a large amount of information which they could secure in no other way. For that reason I favor state and national appropriations proportionate to the magnitude of the exposition. While there is always a local benefit to the town in which the exposition is held, this does not rob the enterprise of its national character, and as a rule the local community makes a large contribution usually commensurate with the importance of the locality. I wish the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition every success."



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The Cleaning Up Crusade.

Following the example of Sierra Madre and other towns, Glendale people are going to see to it that the streets and sidewalks put on a cleaner and more attractive garb.

Next Saturday is the day set apart for this public housecleaning, and there will doubtless be such a clearing up as has never before been seen in this or any other town of our class. We hope that every citizen of Glendale will dedicate the day to the public service, remembering that "the man with the hoe" (or rake) will be the man of the hour, and the inner man of him will be ministered to by appetizing viands and by the cup that cheers but is not tabooed even in our "dry town."

This campaign, started by the ladies of the Tuesday Afternoon club, is the first of a series which gives promise of the building up of a city beautiful.

Following the cleaning up of the streets, parkways and the most obtrusive of the vacant lots, there will be a campaign of tree planting, carried on, we believe, with that intelligence and enthusiasm which insures success. Success cannot be secured, however, without the hearty co-operation of our people, for although our enterprising ladies may start the ball rolling and push with all their might, the man and the boy behind the hoe and the rake will after all be the real "men behind the guns."—Glendale News.

"It is expensive to be rich," says Mrs. Stuyvestant Fish. But what does that matter, if you are rich?

Ordinance No. 41

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre declaring its intention to improve a portion of Mountain Trail Avenue in said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That the public interest and convenience requires and that it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

1st. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of Mountain Trail avenue at Laurel avenue as per plan No. 1, and along the easterly side of Mountain Trail avenue at Laurel avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culverts be of the form and dimensions shown on said plans and profiles.

2nd. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of Mountain Trail avenue at Highland avenue as per plan No. 1 and along the easterly side of Mountain Trail avenue at Highland avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culverts be of the form and dimensions shown on said plans and profiles.

3rd. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of Mountain Trail avenue at La Belle avenue as per plan No. 1, and along the easterly side of Mountain Trail avenue at La Belle avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culverts be of the form and dimensions shown on said plans and profiles.

SEC. 2. The Street Superintendent shall post notices of this work, as required by law, and shall cause said notice to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said city of Sierra Madre and hereby designated for that purpose.

SEC. 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance, and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post the same conspicuously for two days on or near the chamber door of the place of meeting of the Board of Trustees of said city, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the city of Sierra Madre, held on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1907, by the affirmative vote of at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Messrs. Camp, Hosmer, Kraft, Pegler, Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Attest: J. J. GRAHAM,
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Pursuant to Statutes and to Ordinance No. 33 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, adopted October 10th, 1907, directing this notice, the undersigned will receive and invites at his office in the City Hall of the City of Sierra Madre, up to 8 o'clock p. m. of the 26th day of December, 1907, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done in said City of Sierra Madre, to-wit:

1st. For the grading and oiling of Central avenue from the east curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to the west curb line of Cañon avenue on the east, including all intersections (except such portions of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and also excepting such portions as have already been graded to the official line and grade, oiled and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and specifications for such work on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 4.

2nd. For the construction of a cement gutter along each side of said Central avenue from the east curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to the west curb line of Cañon avenue on the east (except along such portions of said street where a cement or granite gutter has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and specifications for the construction of cement gutters on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 8.

3rd. For the construction of a cement curb along both sides of said Central avenue from the east curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to the west curb line of Cañon avenue on the east (except where a cement or granite curb has been constructed to the official line and grade and accepted by said city), in accordance with the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 2.

4th. For the construction of cement pipe culverts along and across said Central avenue between the east curb line of Sierra Madre avenue on the west to the west curb line of Cañon avenue on the east where shown and designated on the plans and profiles for such work and according to the plans and profiles for such work on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and city specifications for the construction of cement pipe culverts on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 5.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, or a bond for said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Sierra Madre, Cal., December 5, 1907.
J. J. GRAHAM,
City Clerk.

No. 8707.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank

at Sierra Madre, in the State of California, at the close of business, December 3rd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 30,752 61
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	46 86
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	10,000 00
Expense.....	948 71
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	450 00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	10,632 50
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....	3,966 01
Interest paid on bonds.....	27 50
Due from approved reserve agents.....	6,630 25
Checks and other cash items.....	294 00
Notes of other National Banks.....	480 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and cents.....	42 48
Scrip.....	253 00
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie.....	\$ 3,451 05
Legal-tender notes.....	125 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....	500 00

TOTAL.....\$ 68,599 97

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000 00
National Bank notes outstanding.....	10,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	33,234 97
Demand certificates of deposit.....	65 00
Time certificates of deposit.....	300 00

TOTAL.....\$ 68,599 97

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I, H. G. Flint, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. G. FLINT,
Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:
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Ordinance No. 42

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre declaring its intention to improve a portion of Baldwin Avenue in said City of Sierra Madre.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That the public interest and convenience requires and that it is the intention of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre to order the following work to be done to-wit:

1st. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Palm avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plans and profiles.

2nd. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Olive avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

3rd. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Algeria avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

4th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Granite Heights avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

5th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Grand View avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

6th. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Grand View avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

7th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Laurel avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

8th. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Laura avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications

being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

9th. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Highland avenue as per plan No. 2 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

10th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Dixie Drive as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

11th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Dixie Drive as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

12th. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Central avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

13th. That a box culvert be constructed along the easterly side of said Baldwin avenue at Suffolk avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

14th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Esperanza avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

15th. That a box culvert be constructed along the westerly side of said Baldwin avenue at Bonita avenue as per plan No. 1 for such work and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of said city, and city specifications for the construction of box culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city, said specifications being numbered 9, and that said box culvert be of the form and dimensions shown on said plan and profiles.

SEC. 2. The Street Superintendent shall post notices of this work as required by law and shall cause said notice to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the Sierra Madre News, a weekly newspaper published and circulated in said city of Sierra Madre and hereby designated for that purpose.

SEC. 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once per week for two successive weeks in the "Sierra Madre News," said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, and shall post the same conspicuously for two days on or near the chamber door of the place of meeting of the Board of Trustees of said city and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, held on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1907, by the affirmative vote of at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Messrs. Camp, Hosmer, Kraft, Pegler, Jones.

Noes: None.

And signed and approved this 4th day of December, A. D. 1907.

C. W. JONES,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Attest:

J. J. GRAHAM,

[Seal.]

City Clerk.

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